

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph at page 3, line 19 – page 4, line 2 with the following amended paragraph:

Content components are obtained from servers referred to herein as "resource servers." In some cases, resource servers may be secure, so that security credentials are required to gain access to the content on a secure resource server. FIG. 2 shows a system 200 for delivering personalized content according to a prior art method. A plurality of secure resource servers 202-208, each protected by an authenticator 222-228, host various types of content. Each authenticator 222-228 authenticates each user before allowing access to the protected server. Referring to FIG. 2, a CRM server 202 protected by an authenticator 222 hosts content such as customer lists and customer contact information. An email server 204 protected by an authenticator 224 hosts content such as email messages for a group of users. A stock quotes server 206 protected by an authenticator 226 hosts content such as stock quotes and charts. A news server 208 protected by an authenticator 228 hosts content such as headlines and news features. A main process 216 within a Web server 210 maintains a list of the types of content available from resource servers 202-208 ~~202-408~~, and advertises these types of content to users.

Please replace the paragraph at page 14, lines 1 - 8 with the following amended paragraph:

Based on the request, Web server 310 identifies the resources requested by the user. For each requested resource, Web server 310 determines the type of security credential required for access ~~(step 616)~~. Assume that the user request requires content from all of resource servers 302, 304, and 506. Referring to FIG. 5, Web server 310 determines that CRM server 302 requires no security credentials for access, that authenticator 324 requires HTTP 1.1 basic authentication security credentials to access email server 304, and that SSO

product 532A requires an SSO token to access stock quotes server 506. This determination is made in a method similar to that described above with respect to FIG. 3.